

The Honorable Kymberly K. Evanson

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
WESTERN DISTRICT OF WASHINGTON AT SEATTLE

PROVIDENCE HEALTH & SERVICES-
WASHINGTON, d/b/a Providence Alaska
Medical Center,

Plaintiff,

v.

HUMANA HEALTH PLAN, INC., a
Kentucky corporation,

Defendant.

NO. 2:25-cv-00757-KKE

**ORDER GRANTING STIPULATION
TO EXTEND TIME TO ANSWER OR
OTHERWISE PLEAD IN RESPONSE
TO THE COMPLAINT**

STIPULATION

Defendant Humana Health Plan, Inc. (the “Defendant”), by and through its undersigned counsel, and Plaintiff Providence Health & Services-Washington, d/b/a Providence Alaska Medical Center (the “Plaintiff”), by and through its undersigned counsel, hereby stipulate to and jointly move the Court for an extension of time through and including July 30, 2025 for Defendant to answer or otherwise plead in response to the Complaint filed by Plaintiff in the above-captioned case.

The parties are in discussions about a potential path to early resolution of the litigation and agree to this extension to allow time for those discussions while conserving judicial and

1 party resources. Counsel for Plaintiff and Defendant agree that additional time is therefore
2 needed. This request is not being made for the purpose of unreasonable delay, and no party will
3 be prejudiced by the Court's granting of the requested extension.

4 A proposed order is attached to this stipulation.

5 DATED: June 26, 2025.

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ORDER

Plaintiff and Defendant have stipulated to extend Defendant's deadline to file and serve its answer or other pleading in response to Plaintiff's Complaint. The Court accepts this Stipulation.

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED that Defendant's deadline to file and serve its answer or other pleading in response to the Complaint is extended through and including July 30, 2025.

DATED this 26th day of June, 2025.



Kymberly K. Evanson
United States District Judge